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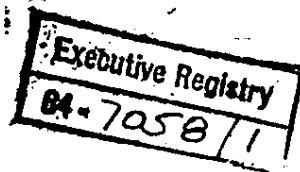
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SUBJECT: SIG/TT Meeting

Attached is the Summary of Conclusions for the SIG Meeting on the Transfer of Strategic Technology, held on August 30, 1984.

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Charles Hill
Executive Secretary

Attachments:

Summary of Conclusions
Revised Strategy Paper on Approaches
to Non-COCOM Countries

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September 4, 1984

Senior Interagency Group No.23

PARTICIPANTS: See Attached List

DATE AND TIME: August 30, 1984, 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: Room 7516, Department of State

SUBJECT: SIG Meeting on the Transfer of Strategic Technology

SUMMARY OF CONCLUSIONS

Under Secretary Schneider convened the SIG to: a) review progress reports on missile technology controls, supercomputer safeguards, the strategic trade officers' conference, and the ongoing public awareness program; b) seek approval of the strategy paper on non-COCOM countries, c) provide a wrap-up report on the COCOM List Review, and d) begin preparation for the next COCOM High Level Meeting (HLM).

The participants agreed that we should seek an HLM in January to review a series of issues including the need for increased funding for COCOM. A working group was established to begin U.S. preparations for such a meeting. Commerce suggested that the USG put US China policy on the HLM agenda. It was pointed out that other COCOM members would likely raise the China policy issue regardless of whether the US tabled it or not. Undersecretary Schneider asked the HLM Working Group to develop a recommendation to him on this issue.

There was general agreement with the scope and objectives of the Third Country Strategy paper previously circulated to SIG members. The paper is to be updated periodically and provided to the members. It should also form the basis for ongoing preparation for further third country approaches

DAS Tahtinen briefed the participants on the recently concluded COCOM List Review, the first such review since the invasion of Afghanistan. He pointed out that the implementation of the list review agreements will mean that virtually all of the appropriate portions of the Militarily Critical Technologies List will now be incorporated in the US Commodity Control List. Other major accomplishments of the review were agreement on defense priority industries mandated for review at the first HLM in January 1982 and an agreement in principle on the computer issue, including explicit controls on software and communications switching equipment.

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The Chairman pointed out that more information was needed on the question of technology leakage from India to the Soviet Bloc. He tasked TTIC to prepare an initial short study on India, to be followed within six months by an in-depth country study.

After a brief discussion of Cuba's role in diverting high technology to the USSR, Undersecretary Schneider asked TTIC to produce a short study in order to determine whether COCOM controlled items were being supplied to Cuba. This would help determine whether there was any need for the USG to raise the issue of Cuba's becoming a COCOM proscribed destination at the HLM.

ACTION REQUIREMENTS

1. Interagency HLM Working Group under Bob Price and Vic Comras to begin preparations immediately for the next HLM. The Working Group to make recommendations as soon as possible on adding COCOM China policy to HLM agenda.
2. The Third Country Working Group to update the Third Country Strategy paper.
3. TTIC to prepare a short India study, due September 28th, to be followed by a detailed study to be completed in six months.
4. TTIC to prepare a quick study, due October 1st, concerning the extent to which Cuba serves as a conduit for strategic technology to the USSR.
5. Office of East-West Trade to review the status of our oil and gas controls.

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SIG MEETING ON THE TRANSFER OF STRATEGIC TECHNOLOGY

August 30, 1984 at 10:00 a.m.

Room 7516, Department of State

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